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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—F. ALLEN, 8, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GORDON, Ludgate Circus, E. C. BATES, HENDY & Co., 4, Old Jewry, E. C. SAMUEL DRAGON & Co., 180 & 184, Leadenhall Street.
NEW YORK:—ANDREW WIND, 133, Nassau Street.
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:—GORDON & GORDON, Melbourne and Sydney.
SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally:—BLAIR & BLACK, San Francisco.
CHINA:—SWATOW, QUEEN & CAMPBELL, Amoy, Wilson, NICHOLS & Co., Foochow, HADEN & Co., Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WATSON, Manila, C. HENDERSON & Co., Macao, L. A. DA SILVA.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, 5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND, 600,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—H. HOPKINS, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—F. D. SASSOON, Esq.
E. R. BELLIER, Esq. WILHELM REINER, Esq.
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H. W. KISWICK, Esq.
A. MOYER, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong, J. THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. Manager.

Shanghai, E. W. CAMERON, Esq. Manager.

LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED

ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts, granted in London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, March 29, 1876.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA & CHINA.

CAPITAL, 2800,000.
RESERVE FUND, 210,000.

BANKERS.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE CITY BANK.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH IN HONGKONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

Local Bills discounted, and Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Deposits for fixed periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. WILHELM CARL ENGELBRECHT von PUSTAU, Junior, and Mr. CONRAD MUNROE DONNER, have been admitted Partners in our Firm from the first of January, 1877.

WM. PUSTAU & Co.,

Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai.

NOTICE.

FROM This Date Mr. EDWARD SHEPPARD and Mr. M. W. GAZIO, are authorized to Sign the name of our Firm per Procuration at Foochow, and Mr. F. F. ELWELL at Amoy.

RUSSELL & Co.

China, June 1, 1877.

NOTICE.

MR. F. C. DITTMER is authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration.

SANDER & Co.

Hongkong, June 28, 1877.

NOTICE.

MR. EDWARD BURNIE will Conduct the BUSINESS of my Office, during my Temporary Absence from the Colony.

R. B. CAIRNS,

Surveyor to Local Offices, and Lloyd's Register of Shipping.
2, Club Chambers,
Hongkong, March 17, 1877.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. D. MOSS and Mr. H. JOHNSTON have This Day been ADMITTED PARTNERS in the Firm of THOS. HOWARD & Co., Merchants, London and Hongkong.

THOS. HOWARD & Co.
Hongkong, July 9, 1877.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has been Appointed AGENT at this Port for THE POSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

W. H. NOTLEY.
Hongkong, June 9, 1877.

NOTICE.

BY Mutual Consent, the Firm of FREERES, RODATZ & Co. has been DISSOLVED on This Day.

R. FREERES.
G. O. F. RODATZ.
Hongkong, June 30, 1877.

THE Undersigned, Establishing themselves This Day as SHIPOHANDLERS and GENERAL STOREKEEPERS under the Style and Firm of RODATZ & Co., have taken over the Business of the late Firm of FREERES, RODATZ & Co.

G. O. F. RODATZ.
O. KOOH.
Hongkong, July 2, 1877.

NOTICE.

I HAVE This Day Established myself as SHIPBROKER.

ROBERT DROSS.
Hongkong, June 26, 1877.

For Sale.

AERATED WATERS,

CODD'S PATENT GLASS STOPPERED BOTTLES.

FROM the 1st July, the Price of all kinds of AERATED WATERS will be only

FORTY CENTS Per Dozen.

SARSAPARILLA WATER,
75 Cents per Dozen.

ED. CHASTEL,
2, Wyndham Street, opposite the Hongkong Club.

Hongkong, June 30, 1877.

FOR SALE.

CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s Celebrated

Brands of WINES and SPIRITS.

Apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

NOW READY.

CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT. Part I, A to K, with Introduction. Royal 8vo., pp. 202.—By ERNEST JOHN EITEL, Ph.D. Tubingen.

Price: Two DOLLARS AND A HALF.

To be had from Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai; and Messrs KELLY & WATSON, Shanghai.

Hongkong, February 8, 1877.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from Mr. J. McDonald, to sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 24th day of July, 1877, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the West Point Patent Slip,—

The whole of the STOCK-IN-TRADE, comprising:—

1 Large Self-acting Circular Saw, with Planing Machine attached; Macdonall & Co., makers.

1 General Joiner, with Tools; Macdonall & Co., makers.

1 Saw Sharpener.

1 Shafting and Pulleys.

1 Treadmill Turning Machine.

Hydraulic Pumps, Jack Screws.

1 Diving Dress.

Rubber and Rubber Belting.

Felt, Bellows, Drills.

Assorted Iron (Govan Best).

Steel, Copper Plates, Yellow Metal Rods, Tubes, Taps and Dies, Anvils.

Assorted Chains, Blacksmiths' Tools, Moulding Sand.

3 Crab Winches.

Terms of SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7. 1. 7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, July 11, 1877.

Intimations.

A THOROUGH CORRESPONDENT and ARITHMETICIAN Desires an ENGAGEMENT.
"Activity," care of this Office.
Hongkong, May 29, 1877.

Intimations.

DEVOE'S BRILLIANT OIL.

RELIABLE,

ECONOMICAL,

SAFE!!

DESIRING to benefit by the world-wide reputation of our Oil, certain parties have attempted to imitate our packages. Suits at law have been instituted against the MAKERS and PURCHASERS of these imitations. Buyers should be careful to see that the words "DEVOE'S BRILLIANT" are stencilled on the cases, and the words "DEVOE MFG CO. PATENTS" are stamped on the top of the can.

THE DEVOE MANUFACTURING Co.,
80 Beaver and 127 Pearl Streets,
NEW YORK, U. S. A.

W. BALL,
CHINA DISPENSARY.

IMPORTER OF DRUGS, CHEMICALS, DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, TOILET REQUISITES, PATENT MEDICINES AND PERFUMES.

Prescriptions Dispensed with Carefulness, and Prompt Attention.

PRAYA WEST, HONGKONG,
Near the Canton Steamer's Wharf.
Hongkong, July 13, 1876.

AFONG,
PHOTOGRAPHER,
by appointment, to
H. E. SIR ARTHUR KENNEDY,
GOVERNOR OF HONGKONG;
and to
H. L. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS OF RUSSIA,
Wyndham Street, formerly ATHLETIC CLUB.

HAS on hand the Largest and Best collection of Views of China, Photographic Albums, Frames, Cases, &c., of assorted sizes. Ex. S. S. Radnorshire a supply of very handsome Etzel Albums of Russia and Velvet Covers, assorted sizes. Illuminated Albums for Portraits. Tobacco Pouches, in Shape of Skulls, Rats, &c., and a nice choice of Gilt Mountings for Frames, &c.

Hongkong, March 28, 1877.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-second Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 50 A, Queen's Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th July instant, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
P. A. DA COSTA,
Secretary.

Hongkong, July 3, 1877.

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By Order of the Board of Directors,
P. A. DA COSTA,
Secretary.

Intimations.

SEALED TENDERS will be Received by the Undersigned until Noon on SATURDAY, the 14th Instant, for Building A FIRE ENGINE HOUSE, at H. M. NAVAL YARD.

Plan and Specification may be seen and further information obtained on Application.

JOHN BRENNER,
Naval Storekeeper.

Hongkong, July 2, 1877.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned regret to inform their Customers, that in consequence of the VERY GREAT ADVANCE in THE PRICE OF FLOUR, they will be compelled to RAISE the Price of their First Quality BREAD One Cent per Pound, Commencing from the 1st July, 1877.

HONGKONG AND CHINA BAKERY Co., LIMITED.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., General Managers.

DORAJEE NOWROJEE.

Hongkong, June 21, 1877.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1876.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Office are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contribution for the Year ending 31st December, 1876, in order that the distribution of the Net Profits reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st August next, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, May 1, 1877.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Eleventh Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 31st Instant, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order, W. H. RAY, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 9, 1877.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN Extraordinary MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 31st Instant, at 3 o'clock p.m., in order to take into consideration a Special Resolution to add a Regulation to the existing Articles of Association of the Company, authorizing the Company so far to modify the conditions contained in its Memorandum of Association, as by subdivision of its existing Shares to divide its Capital into Shares of smaller amount than is fixed by its Memorandum of Association, in accordance with the provisions of Sections XX and XXI of "The Companies Ordinance 1877."

By Order, W. H. RAY, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 9, 1877.

PIANO TUNING, REPAIRING, &c.

LADIES and GENTLEMEN Desirous of having their PIANOS REPAIRED by the Undersigned, will please oblige with early orders, as he is about to Return to SHANGHAI.

Orders may be left with Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., or Messrs GAFF & Co.

A. HAHN.

Hongkong, July 10, 1877.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 72.

CHINA SEA.

FOOCHOW DISTRICT.

Pingnan Harbour Rock.

NOTICE is hereby given that Captain WILLIAMS, of Messrs BUTTERFIELD and SWIRE's Steamer the "CHEFOD," observed on the 24th May last, a Rock on which a heavy Sea at flood was breaking in mid-channel at the entrance to Pingnan Harbour. The inlet, off the South end of Chingnan Island, bore from the Rock W. by N. and Pingtoong Rock Point, to the West of Pingtoong Island, bore N. by E. magnetic. This information has been received from Mr. W. HANFORD TAFE, H. B. M.'s Registrar of Shipping.

By order of the Inspector General of Customs,
DAVID M. HENDERSON,
Inspector-in-Chief.

Imperial Maritime Customs,
Engineer's Office,
Shanghai, June 28, 1877.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

ANY CLAIMS against the British Barque "PENRITH," must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon of SATURDAY, the 14th Instant, or they will not be recognized.

MELOHERS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, July 12, 1877.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

NOTICE.

THE POST of SECRETARY will become Vacant on 1st August next.

Applications, addressed to the CHAIRMAN, will be Received up to Noon of the 21st July, prox. Salary, \$1,500 per Annum.

Hongkong, June 25, 1877.

THE UNION MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been Appointed AGENTS of the above Company at HONGKONG and FOOCHOW, are prepared to accept Risks and Issue Policies by any First-Class Steamers, at current rates, Payable either here, in LONDON, in LIVERPOOL, or at the principal Ports of India and the East.

BIRLEY & Co., Agents.

Mails.



STEAM FOR

Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Brindisi, Ancona, Venice, Mediterranean Ports, Southampton, and London, Also, Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship CATHAY, Captain DUNDAS, will leave this on SATURDAY, the 14th July, at Noon.

For further Particulars, apply to A. LIND, Superintendent, Hongkong, July 2, 1877. j14

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE, IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL and UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. "GALIE" will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 17th July, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States and Europe. Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai. Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 16th July. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Return Passage Tickets available for 6 months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent. on regular rates. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. G. B. EMORY, Agent. Hongkong, July 5, 1877. j17

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTES FRANÇAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES; Also, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY.

ON SATURDAY, the 21st July, 1877, at Noon, the Company's S. S. ANADYR, Commandant MOREAU, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPOILS, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Speed will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Speeds and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 20th July, 1877. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. H. DU POUY, Agent. Hongkong, July 10, 1877. j21

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamer CITY OF PEKING will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on FRIDAY, the 27th Instant, 1877, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Passengers Tickets and Bills of Lading are issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, and ports in Mexico, Central and South America, and to New York and Europe via OVERLAND RAILWAYS. A Steamer of the Mitsui Bishi S. S. Company will leave Shanghai, via the Island Sea Port, about same date, and make close connection at Yokohama. At New York, Passengers have selection of various lines of Steamers to England, France and Germany. Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m., 26th Instant. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For security's sake, Shippers of Overland Cargo are requested to endorse on the Envelope the Marks and Nos. of Packages Shipped, to correspond with those in their Bills of Lading. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, July 13, 1877. j27

INSURANCES.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEE.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary.

Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods in Mats, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Insurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

MELOHERS & Co.,

Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two Thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Premium contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

OLYPHANT & Co.,

General Agents.

Hongkong, April 17, 1873.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER of His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:— Marine Department. Policies at current rates payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding £25,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned Agents are in receipt of Instructions from the Board of Directors authorizing them to issue Policies to the extent of £10,000 on any one first class risk, or to the extent of £15,000 on adjoining risks at current rates. A Discount of 20% allowed.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, January 5, 1874.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, October 14, 1869.

INSURANCES.

NOTICE. LONDON & ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSPORT INSURANCE Co.

THE BUSINESS of this COMPANY has This Day been Transferred to THE MARINE INSURANCE Co., of 20, Old Broad Street, LONDON.

By Order of the Proprietors, WILLIAM HUNT, Secretary.

137, Leadenhall Street, LONDON, 1st January, 1877.

THE MARINE INSURANCE Co. 20, Old Broad Street, LONDON, 1st January, 1877.

ESTABLISHED 1836.

CAPITAL, £1,000,000 STERLING. RESERVE FUND, £240,000

WITH Reference to the foregoing Advertisement, THE MARINE INSURANCE Co. has This Day taken over the Business of the LONDON & ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSPORT Co., and has Appointed Mr. A. McIVER as its AGENT in Hongkong.

By Order of the Board of Directors, ROBERT J. LODGE, Manager.

THE Undersigned is prepared to Accept Risks and issue Policies on behalf of the MARINE INSURANCE Co. by any First Class Steamer.

A. McIVER,

Agent of the Marine Insurance Co. of London.

Hongkong, February 16, 1877. aul

HAMBURG-MAGDEBURG FIRE INSURANCE Co. OF HAMBURG.

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Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A, near the Kowloon shore K, and those in the body of the Harbour or midway between each shore are marked C, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section. 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works. 3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office. 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. Section. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. 7. From Naval Yard to the Pier. 8. From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers								
Ambato	4 c	Brown	Brit. str.	973	July 10	A. Mc G. Heaton	S'pore, Calcutta, &c.	To-morrow
Arratoon Apcar	5 c	MacTaviah	Brit. str.	1392	July 12	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	Europe, &c.	14th
Cathay	2 b	Dundas	Brit. str.	1884	July 10	P. & O. S. N. Co.		
Charleston	5 c	Pleuge	Brit. str.	786	July 10	Order		
China	5 c	Ackermann	Ger. str.	648	July 12	Stemmen & Co.		
Elgin	4 c	Miller	Brit. str.	900	July 7	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Elony	...	Blanco	Span. str.	222	June 3	Remedios & Co.	Manila	McD's Slip
Emeralda	...	Theband	Brit. str.	395	July 13	A. Mc G. Heaton		K'long Dock
Fuyew	4 c	Crood	Chl. str.	920	July 12	U. M. S. N. Co.		To-day
Gocho	5 b	Thomas	Brit. str.	533	July 11	Butterfield & Swire	Y'hama & San F'elisco	Mails
Gaelic	3 b	Kidley	Brit. str.	1713	July 10	O. & O. S. Co.		
Glamis Castle	4 c	Greig	Brit. str.	1688	July 7	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Yokohama	15th daylight
Lotus	2 b	McNabb	Brit. str.	1407	July 3	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	Yokohama	To-day
Macgregor	4 c	Newell	Brit. str.	1406	July 11	Gilman & Co.	Yokohama	Mails
Malacca	5 c	Edmonds	Brit. str.	1048	July 11	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama	16th inst.
Mecca	3 c	Fehson	Brit. str.	3783	July 13	A. Mc G. Heaton	Shanghai	Mails
Mirzapore	2 b	Farish	Brit. str.	1146	July 13	P. & O. S. N. Co.		
Montgomeryshire	...	Sturrock	Brit. str.	882	July 11	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Coast Ports	
Namoa	5 b	Funchard	Brit. str.	606	July 11	Kwok Acheong	Swatow	
Norna	2 b	Walker	Brit. str.	652	July 11	Stemmen & Co.	Holbow	
Penodo	5 c	Cala	Brit. str.	652	July 11	Yuen Fat Hong	Bagkok	
Rajasthanhar	2 b	Hopkins	Brit. str.	934	July 13	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Amoy and Tamsui	To-morrow
Taiwan	5 b	Young	Brit. str.	1271	July 3	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	S'pore, Calcutta, &c.	
Venice	6 c	Rhode	Brit. str.	334	June 28	Hok Moh Leong		
W. Cores de Vries	4 c	...	Brit. str.	783	June 28	Stemmen & Co.		K'long Dock
Yangtze	...	Schulze	Brit. str.	...	...	...

Sailing Vessels								
A. S. Davis	7 c	Ford	Amer. sh.	1389	June 19	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Newchwang	Cleared
Adela	6 c	Battle	Brit. bge.	382	July 6	Edward Schellhaus & Co.	Keelung	Cleared
Alma	6 c	Gulibert	Brit. bge.	300	July 6	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Alphington	3 c	O'Donoghue	Brit. bge.	828	July 8	Wieler & Co.		
Angustura	3 c	Boyesen	Ger. bge.	418	July 7	Carlowitz & Co.		
Annie Lorway	3 c	Gales	Brit. bge.	752	July 5	Order		
Annie S. Hall	4 c	Nelson	Amer. Sm. so.	455	July 6	Douglas Lapraik & Co.		
Antwerp	1 c	Atkins	Brit. bge.	1031	July 13	Malchers & Co.	Shanghai	Wanchai
Augusta	3 c	Bernard	Ger. bge.	880	July 6	Carlowitz & Co.		
B. Oaldew	1 c	Peterson	Brit. bge.	482	July 6	Order		
Beldt Will	7 c	Brathwaite	Brit. bge.	812	June 24	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Bonolutha	6 c	Eliggins	Brit. bge.	970	July 2	Meyer & Co.		
Blanca Perle	4 c	Tancredi	Ital. bge.	686	June 22	Landstein & Co.		
Bonita	3 c	Stehr	Ger. Sm. so.	840	June 27	Edward Schellhaus & Co.		
C. W. Oochrane	1 c	Oliver	Amer. bge.	1108	July 12	P. & O. S. N. Co.		
Cactus O.	6 c	Oliver	Ital. bge.	791	July 6	Order		
Canton	2 c	Knudsen	Slam. sh.	779	June 22	Chinese		
Carl	6 c	Thomsen	Ger. bge.	215	July 1	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Ceres	6 c	Specht	Ger. bge.	420	July 6	Wieler & Co.		
Charlotte Andrews	5 c	Place	Brit. bge.	200	April 30	Rozario & Co.		
Cheng Soon	2 b	Cheng Sang	Slam. sch.	286	June 22	Chinese		
Chinaman	7 c	McKenzie	Brit. bge.	690	May 21	Russell & Co.	London	
Chow Sze	2 b	Schmeyer	Slam. sh.	462	July 8	Stemmen & Co.	Hogo	Wanchai
Coringa	3 c	Joalyn	Amer. bge.	777	July 5	Olyphant & Co.		
Orested Wave	3 c	Renout	Brit. bge.	845	July 1	Order		
Daphne	7 b	Arndrup	Brit. sh.	954	June 13	Meyer & Co.		
Edinburgh Castle	4 c	Seward	Brit. bge.	627	July 8	Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Edith Rose	3 c	Stefken	Dut. bge.	670	July 6	Landstein & Co.		
Enid	6 c	Brathwaite	Brit. bge.	496	July 7	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Esport	6 c	Waterhouse	Amer. bge.	636	July 7	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Evening Star	4 c	Arbuthnot	Brit. bge.	371	June 26	Wieler & Co.		
Focho	2 b	Hochreuter	Slam. bge.	800	July 11	Chinese		
Fortuna	2 c	Hyland	Brit. bge.	915	May 29	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
Fortune	2 c	Peterson	Slam. bge.	447	July 8	Chinese		
Fred. P. Litchfield	2 c	Spalding	Amer. bge.	1082	July 1	Meyer & Co.	Amoy	
Fugitive	7 b	Balfour	Brit. bge.	471	July 6	Russell & Co.		
Gollah	2 h	Dentzau	Slam. bge.	680	July 4	Chinese		
Gold Hunter	3 c	Freeman	Amer. sh.	1280	July 6	Meyer & Co.		
Golden Spur	6 c	Ferrall	Brit. bge.	698	June 30	Borneo Co., Limited		
Gramere	6 h	Haatings	Brit. sh.	1068	May 24	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	San Francisco	
Gryfe	2 c	Roberts	Ger. sh.	352	July 6	Wieler & Co.	New York	
Gustav & Marie	2 c	Doone	Brit. sh.	1289	April 28	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Cheloo	
Hannah Law	6 c	Grelg	Brit. sh.	428	July 11	Wieler & Co.	New York	
Hieracantha	6 c	Bialh	Ger. bge.	428	July 11	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Highlander	3 c	Entinshon	Amer. sh.	1362	May 13	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Isles of the South	3 c	Dennett	Brit. sh.	320	July 11	Stemmen & Co.		
Jan. Peter	3 c	Kwert	Ger. bge.	882	July 11	Order		
Jan. S. Stone	3 c	Weston	Amer. bge.	710	July 7	Dectien & Co.		
Jalo	8 c	Moeborg	Russ. sh.	1385	July 6	Malchers & Co.		
Johanne	7 c	Bunje	Ger. sh.	753	July 1	Malchers & Co.		
Jotun	8 c	Hauff	Norw. sh.	985	July 11	Order		
Jubilee	8 c	Harris	Brit. sh.	765	July 10	Malchers & Co.		
Kandanghauer II.	8 c	Zeeth	Dut. sh.	1114	June 18	Meyer & Co.		
Leading Wind	7 h	Hinckley	Amer. sh.	1208	June 4	Insurance Cos.		
Lottner	8 b	.....	Amer. sch.	45	Aug. 1	Captain		
Lord Macaulay	7 h	Monkman	Amer. sch.	847	July 1	Edward Schellhaus & Co.	Costa	
Louisa	.....	Sohlerloh	Ger. Sm. so.	245	July 1	Landstein & Co.		
Maipu	.....	Andrews	Brit. bge.	600	July 6	Wm. Pustau & Co.	New York	
Mario Louisa	4 c	Davidson	Ger. bge.	441	July 5	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Matchless	4 c	Dawes	Brit. Sm. so.	1198	June 22	Olyphant & Co.		
May	3 c	Plumley	Amer. sh.	237	July 6	Malchers & Co.		
Messenger	1 c	Gillyk	Ger. sh.	1026	July 12	Order		
Milbado	3 c	Hanson	Amer. bge.	320	July 6	Malchers & Co.		
Morro Castle	2 c	Jawett	Amer. bge.	404	July 1	Captain		
Nimrod	3 c	Leonard	Amer. sh.	1800	July 5	Messageries Maritimes		
Notre D. de la Garde	1 c	Liegier	Foh. bge.	486	July 12	Carlowitz & Co.		
Nuevo Constante	8 c	Urlarte	Span. sch.	203	July 3	Benedict & Co.		
Paracas	6 c	Phillips	Brit. bge.	484	July 12	Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Pennith	4 c	Rimington	Brit. bge.	521	July 1	Malchers & Co.		
Polynesia	7 c	Schwauer	Ger. sh.	985	June 5	Stemmen & Co.		
Robt. Henderson	.....	Gunn	Brit. bge.	290	June 9	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	London	K'lo
Roderick Hay	4 c	Nicolson	Brit. bge.	290	June 25	Rozario & Co.	Tientsin	
Rozina	4 c	Hansen	Amer. Sm. so.	406	Feb. 28	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Siamese Crown	2 b	Saxstoph	Slam. sh.	540	June 25	Chinese		
St. Joseph	3 c	Dinnont	Foh. bge.	298	June 12	Carlowitz & Co.		
Stanfield	4 c	Dudley	Brit. bge.	876	June 18	Borneo Company, Limited		
Star of the North	3 c	Hawken	Brit. sh.	662	July 7	John Chon Wing		
Sydenham	3 c	Miller	Brit. sh.	1068	July 11	Messageries Maritimes		
Tales	2 c	Brulan	Ger. bge.	300	July 12	Stemmen & Co.		
Therese Behn	7 b	Steffins	Ger. bge.	480	July 4	Stemmen & Co.		
Thoon Kramom	2 k	Voroth	Slam. bge.	474	July 12	Stemmen & Co.		
Thorkild	7 b	Baede	Ger. bge.	180	July 8	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Viscount Macduff	4 c	Wright	Brit. Sm. so.	298	June 28	Borneo Company, Limited		
W.	2 b	Blanchard	Amer. bge.	809	June 2	Douglas Lapraik & Co.		